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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the May 16, 2006 Final Office Action, which has a statutorily shortened period for response that ends on August 16, 2006. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

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